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Serial No.:	10/578,049	Examiner:	Unknown
Filed:	May 1, 2006	Group Art Unit:	1732
Title:	ELONGATE VACUUM SYSTEM FOR COATING ONE OR BOTH SIDES OF A FLAT SUBSTRATE		

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF IMAGE FILE WRAPPER

Dear Sir:

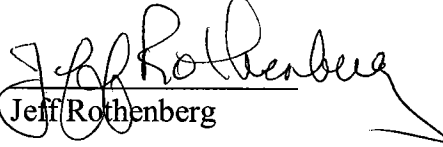
On May 1, 2006, we filed the above-identified application by Express Mail. We received our return receipt postcard with the serial number (**10/578050**) stamped on it. We prepared an Assignment, and a Declaration and Power of Attorney for inventor execution using this Serial Number. After filing the Assignment, we received the Notice of Recordation and discovered it had a different title than our application.

We tried to access **10/578050** in Private PAIR and found we do not have access to that number. Upon searching by attorney docket number, we discovered that our application had been given a different serial number **10/578049**. In accessing the image file wrapper, we discovered that the first page of our specification, the transmittal letter and also the Application Data Sheet were all stamped with the serial number **10/578050**.

We have been trying unsuccessfully for three months to have this PTO error corrected. In our efforts, we have spoken to the Initial Patent Examination Unit, the PCT Help Desk and also the Supervisor of the Group Art Unit. Each office assured us that this correction would be made as soon as possible. To date nothing has been done to correct the file.

We respectfully request that these errors be corrected as soon as possible and that our client's Assignment be removed from serial number **10/578050**.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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